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The previous Office action set forth that the application does not comply with the sequence rules because there are sequences that are encompassed under 37 CFR 1.821-1.825, but such sequences are not followed by a sequence identifier as required by 37 CFR 1.821(d). The substitute specification filed on 7/15/02 still does not comply with the rules because no sequence identifier (SEQ ID NO) follows each of the sequences on page 7 of the substitute specification. If such sequences are not yet on the Sequence Listing, they must be listed. And as such, a paper copy and a CRF of the new Sequence Listing must be provided to the Office. Consequently, a new statement under 37 CFR 1.821(f) is also required. However, if such sequences are already listed on the current Sequence Listing, only specific SEQ ID number for each sequence need to be inserted after the sequence.

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